



**Glasgow City Council**  
**City Administration Committee**

## Item 2

17th November 2022

**Report by: Councillor Cannon, Convenor for Education,  
Communities and Equalities**

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### PROPOSED NAME FOR NEW PRIMARY SCHOOL IN SIGHTHILL

#### **Purpose of Report:**

To update the Committee on the outcome of a ballot to name the new primary school within Sighthill Community Campus.

#### **Recommendations:**

The City Administration Committee is asked to:

- (a) Consider the outcome of the ballot and the range of responses
- (b) Agree to the name of the school, in line with the outcome of the ballot, as St Martin's Primary School

Ward No(s): 22

Citywide:

Local member(s) advised: Yes  No  Consulted: Yes  No

#### **PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING:**

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## 1. INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 In November 2019, St. Stephen's and St. Kevin's Primary Schools moved in to Sighthill Community Campus, a purpose-built school development, costing £22million. This fully enables children in both the mainstream and additional needs sectors to work and learn together within an environment appropriate to all needs.
- 1.2 The children in St Kevin's have a range of additional support needs, including those with complex learning and communication profiles.
- 1.3 In line with Glasgow's policy on Inclusion, the children in both schools have been working together on a range of learning activities taking into account their additional support needs which give the children the opportunity to learn together, learn from each other and learn from the environment.
- 1.4 As part of this approach, parents and the school community were informally consulted on a range of proposals regarding the school operating as one school, including a change in uniform. The children in both schools have been wearing the same uniform since August 2020. Almost all parents who responded to this informal consultation were in favour of the school becoming one school.
- 1.5 Approval was granted to combine the 2 schools with the new school opening in August 2022.

## 2. NAMING THE NEW SCHOOL

- 2.1 A letter was distributed to all parents/carers seeking suggestions for a name for the new school. Staff worked with the children in school to help them to make suggestions.
- 2.2 A meeting with a representative group of parents and carers took place on 9<sup>th</sup> September 2022 to help us choose 3 or 4 names from the list of suggestions to enable voting to take place.
- 2.3 The parents/carers, staff and children were directed by the Executive Director to consult on the short-list of 3 names. The votes were as follows:

<b>Name</b>	<b>Total Number of Votes</b>
St Martin's Primary School	173
St Maximilian's Primary School	150
St Gemma's Primary School	105

St Martin's Primary School is the name forwarded to the Executive Director to seek approval from City Administration Committee. St Martin de Porres is the Patron saint of Racial Harmony.

### 3. Policy and Resource Implications

#### Resource Implications:

<i>Financial:</i>	The consultation was carried out within existing resources.
<i>Legal:</i>	n/a
<i>Personnel:</i>	n/a
<i>Procurement:</i>	N/A

#### Equality and Socio-Economic Impacts:

*Does the proposal support the Council's Equality Outcomes 2021-25? Please specify.*

N/A

*What are the potential equality impacts as a result of this report?*

No impact is anticipated on protected characteristics.

*Please highlight if the policy/proposal will help address socio-economic disadvantage.*

N/A

#### Climate Impacts:

*Does the proposal support any Climate Plan actions? Please specify:*

N/A

*What are the potential climate impacts as a result of this proposal?*

N/A

*Will the proposal  
contribute to  
Glasgow's net zero  
carbon target?* N/A

**Privacy and Data  
Protection Impacts:** N/A

#### **4. Recommendations**

4.1 The City Administration Committee is asked to:

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